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**THROUGH AT FUNERAL OF
AMBUSHED BANDITS**

Associated Press Story of Kill-
ing At Sebastian Bridge
Saturday

Burial was made Monday at Fruta, in the north part of Palm Beach county, of the bodies of John Ashley, Ray Lynn and Hanford Mobley, who were ambushed and shot to death by deputy sheriffs at Sebastian river bridge in St. Lucie county Saturday night. Bill Ashley, who was serving a 30-day sentence in Palm Beach county jail on a charge of moonshining, was released for the day that he might attend the funeral. Middleton's body was sent to Jacksonville for interment by his brother, a pugilist. A throng attended the funeral of Ashley and Mobley and Lynn.

An Associated Press dispatch from Fort Pierce, clipped from the Tampa Tribune, gives the following story by Sheriff Merritt of the killing of the bandits in St. Lucie county Saturday night:

Saturday afternoon, about 5 o'clock the deputies from the office of Sheriff R. C. Baker of Palm Beach county, Deputy Stubbs, Deputies Elmer, Padgett and Lem Thomas, and City Marshal Padgett of Stuart, came to me in the Silver Palace pharmacy and told me that they had information to the effect that John Ashley, Hanford Mobley, 'Shorty' Lynn and Bob Middleton were going to pass through St. Lucie county by automobile that night, headed for Jacksonville.

They asked me to assist them in capturing the outlaws as they passed through. I said I would do so, with the understanding that they work to my plans. This they agreed to do, and Deputy Wiggins, Chief of Police Smith and myself, together with them, left Fort Pierce for the Sebastian river bridge about dark. We left, equipped with a heavy chain and red lantern.

Upon our arrival at the bridge, we took turns crossing the bridge, one across the river, left them there and then came back to the St. Lucie county side.

We stretched the chain across the bridge and hung up the red lantern, then concealed ourselves in the mangrove trees along the road.

About 10:45 o'clock along came a young man by the name of Miller and another young man, both of Sebastian. They drove up and stopped as they saw the chain and light.

Close behind them followed the car with the Ashley gang, and they stopped. They stopped, then came up from behind and covered them with our guns. They were caught unawares, being interested in seeing why the car ahead had stopped.

When we came up alongside, John Ashley saw me first and grabbed for his rifle. I pushed a shotgun in his car and Deputy Wiggins pushed a gun into his ribs at the same time telling him to throw up his hands or he would blow his head off.

Wiggins reached in and got Ashley's rifle, while Chief of Police Smith got Lynn's rifle. We then made all four of them get out of the car, with hands up and walk around in front of the car where the lights would shine on them. I then got in Miller's car, telling my men to search the outlaws carefully, as I was going after my car to get the handcuffs.

When I returned, I stopped my car with the lights shining on the party. I got out and went to the side door of my car to get the handcuffs. The first pair I got I did not have a key for. I asked Wiggins if he had a key to fit them and was getting more hands out of the pocket of the door when Ashley gave a signal and all of the outlaws grabbed for their six-shooters. They had not been searched for them. Then the shooting began. When the smoke cleared away, all four of the desperadoes lay on the ground, dead. When the shooting began we were between ten and fifteen feet from the outlaws.

When Sheriff Merritt and the other officers came up beside the bandit's car after it had stopped at the bridge, Ashley and Lynn were in the back seat and Mobley was sitting in the front seat at the steering wheel with Middleton at his side. Ashley carried a rifle of long range, and two pistols. Lynn had a rifle and one six-shooter. Mobley had two six-shooters, and Middleton had one pistol. Several hundred rounds of ammunition were found in the desperado's automobile, a Ford touring car.

Ashley was about 35 years old; Mobley, 19; Lynn, 28; and Middleton, 25. Following the shooting, in which none of the officers received a scratch, the men were placed in the automobile in which they had been riding and were brought to Fort Pierce, where they are being held in an undertaking establishment.

In Mobley's pockets, \$85.85 were found. Ashley had \$20 in his pockets and Lynn had \$263. No money was found in Middleton's clothing.

Tracy Indicted
Joe Tracy, who is known in Everglades communities, was indicted by the Osceola county grand jury last week for murder in the first degree. He is charged with killing a turpentine man in the south end of Osceola

county, near the Okeechobee county line a few days before the Bank of Pompano was robbed. Tracy is in the county jail at Kissimmee, where he was taken after he surrendered to the conductor of the F. E. C. train three weeks ago.

After John Ashley's escape from the state road camp at Westville, Fla., September 27, 1923, the state bureau of criminal identification issued a circular in which the first reward (\$100) was offered. The circular was dated October 1, 1923, and gave two pictures and the following description of him: Age, 30 years; height, 5 feet 10 inches; weight, 145 pounds; foot 10 1/4 inches; skin, fair; hair, black; eyes, gray; nose, forehead, mouth and neck, medium; build, slender; teeth, good; chin, round; Marks and scars: Two small scars back of the head; scar on left side of mouth; tattoo cross on right arm above elbow; tattoo American flag right arm above elbow; tattoo sailor's head and sword on left arm below elbow; right eye out. His birthplace was given as Buckingham, Fla., and his occupation as fireman. The circular said he was sentenced October 14, 1916, from Palm Beach county for 17 years and 6 months for robbery. No mention is made of the DeSoto Tiger case.

'ORANGE BLOSSOM' IS S. A. L.'S NEW LIMITED TRAIN

**ANNOUNCEMENT BY PRES-
IDENT WARFIELD**

Three Passenger Trains A Day
On Cross-State Road
January 1

AVON PARK, Oct. 28.—The Orange Blossom Limited, which will be one of Florida's finest through winter trains, was announced here today by S. Warfield, president of the Seaboard Air Line, simultaneously with his first statement, based upon personal observation, that the new Florida Western & Northern, the Seaboard's cross state railroad, would begin operating January 1. Two other new trains—the Coast to Coast Limited and the Cross-State Limited were also announced by the chief of the Seaboard, who with a party of a dozen high officials of the road, last night completed a personal inspection tour of the new road from Coleman to the Kissimmee river.

It was only after a personal inspection of the Florida Western & Northern railroad's new line that Mr. Warfield made his formal announcement that the new line would open for freight and passenger traffic January 1. Mr. Warfield's formal statement, issued here, follows:

"The new short line, the Florida Western & Northern, comprising 100 miles of Air Line railway, with connections to and from the East and West to West Palm Beach through Gator Hill, Polk City, Auburndale, Winter Haven, West Lake Wales, Mountain Lake and Highland Park, West Frostproof, Avon Park, Sebring, and Decaturville, penetrating the wonderfully picturesque region of central Florida with its myriads of lakes and rolling hills, beautiful in their array of orange groves, unrivaled in America, will open for passenger and freight traffic January 1, 1925.

The new short line, comprising 125 miles of new construction—including the 185 cross-state mile—inaugurates the only cross-state coast to coast service from St. Petersburg, Clearwater, Tarpon Springs, Tampa and other West Coast points to West Palm Beach and intermediate points via Bartow, West Lake Wales, Avon Park and Sebring. Daily night and day through passenger service will be established from eastern cities and Jacksonville to West Palm Beach and similar service across the state from St. Petersburg. Areas and intermediate points to West Palm Beach, reducing the time by many hours from coast to coast.

"In addition to the Seaboard's other Florida trains there will be added three new trains, the Orange Blossom Limited, the Coast to Coast Limited, and the Cross-State Limited."

Mr. Warfield's party included M. H. Cahill, operating vice-president, L. R. Powell, vice-president and controller; W. R. Bonsal, who is connected with the Seaboard and whose company has the contract to build the new line, and a dozen other officials.

The Orange Blossom Limited will be a daylight train through the scenic Highlands, according to Mr. Warfield, who stated that complete traffic plans for this new de luxe train had not been completed.

After concluding a tiresome day's trip, Mr. Warfield was jubilant enough upon arrival here at dusk to exclaim, "drop 'the cares that infest the day' and joked freely with members of his staff and newspaper men.

The trip was made by varying modes of transportation, from the lowly hand-car with a keg of nails for a seat, run by the gamblers on up to real trains. The party, piloted by Mr. Bonsal, covered practically every foot of the new line between Centerhill and a point just this side of the Kissimmee river.

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AT THE CHURCHES SUNDAY

Methodist Church
10 a. m.—Sunday school.
11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.—Preaching service.
W. J. NEASE, Pastor.
Baptist Church
10 a. m.—Sunday school.
Singing and B. Y. P. U. services in the afternoon.

THE FLOOD

Have you seen it in the papers.
That out here we had a flood?
The wet weather cut some caners
And it left us not a bud!
Beans, tomatoes, pears and citrus,
Everything went up the spout
Not a thing is left to bless us
As we look around, about.
Noah once upon a time
Was drowned out the same as us,
But in spite of mud and grime
The good book says he did not fuss.
I have just received a letter
Asking me to send a check,
And another one no better
Saying pay at once, by heck.
A third one says "Please send our money
We have waited long for it,"
And a fourth one sweet as honey,
Winds up this way—"Please remit."
So now at last I know the reason
Why old Noah thought it fun,
He could plant a crop next season
And not get a single dum.
—AXEL JENSEN.

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LULA BARFIELD, Editor of Department.

PERSONALS

E. G. Kilpatrick, Jr., was a visitor to Okeechobee Saturday.

Nogie Padgett made a trip to West Palm Beach last week.

Mrs. R. J. Boyd was quite sick this week with a severe cold.

Mrs. T. A. Bass is home again after spending some time in West Palm Beach.

Work on the lake front road was started Monday with quite a large number of local men employed on the job.

Donald Faircloth, who came from Tallahassee a month before to farm with James Maxwell, left Monday on his way to Tampa.

Mrs. O. B. McClure and children returned home Friday from Colorado, where they spent the past three months visiting with relatives.

Pasco McGuinn and family have returned to Montverde to remain while their land here is untended. They expect to return here later in the season.

Mrs. Thomas Hunter returned Tuesday, coming up from West Palm Beach on the Eagle. She and Mr. Hunter left here last spring and while he spent fourteen weeks in Tallahassee, she went to the Pacific coast. She spent two months in Los Angeles, Cal., and two months in Oakland, Cal., and one week in Chicago.

The boat Bernice brought in two loads of crate material for the Davis packing house. He expects to carry them all out full of beans and other vegetables in a few months. We wonder where the vegetables will grow with water over the fields. Farmers are hopeful, however, of seeing the water drain away in a few weeks.

J. F. Waters returned the latter part of last week from Winter Haven, where he attended the banana growers convention on October 28 and 29. He says there was a large attendance, a good program and great enthusiasm. Passing through Moore Haven coming and going, he said the water seemed to show no change between the trips. Water was in all of the streets and above the floors of many buildings.

WOMAN'S CLUB

The Pahokee Woman's Club held its regular monthly business meeting Monday afternoon with a very good attendance of members.

Mrs. Helen Thomas, Mrs. R. E. Crews, Mrs. C. E. Waters and Mrs. T. J. Cranford were elected to membership in the club. It was voted to pay in full for the lot but as the exact location of the lot seemed to be uncertain and possibly not to be the ladies had expected it to be, a committee consisting of Mrs. C. A. Shive, Mrs. W. H. Lair, Mrs. W. R. Bailey, Mrs. Homer Vivian, and Mrs. E. G. Kilpatrick were appointed to investigate the matter and also to arrange for a temporary building for the club's use as it has to give up possession of the present meeting house.

The resignation of Mrs. A. Hansen, a chairman of the library department

was read and accepted. Mrs. C. L. Wilmer was asked to fill that position. The new year books were distributed and greatly admired by the members. The covers of orange or gold color "save-the-grain" paper printed in purple and tied with purple silk was a donation to the club from The Everglades News for which the club is most thankful and pleased. A report from the treasurer showed some \$386 on hand with but few bills outstanding.

REVIVAL

Good success with the revival services at the Methodist church last week and this was made. The meetings were well attended both mornings and evenings. Rev. F. E. Tiffin was in charge owing to the failure of F. P. McCall in getting here. Rev. Tiffin was assisted by the Rev. W. J. Nease, pastor of the church, and Rev. Thomas of Canal Point and Rev. C. A. Shive of Pahokee.

Rev. Nolte was prevented from filling his usual appointment Sunday at the Baptist church due to the serious illness of his wife, who underwent an operation recently.

BRIDGE CLUB

The bridge club enjoyed Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Poland, where two tables of bridge were played. The young people participating in the games were: Miss Marie Swicord, Miss Natalie Moore, Miss Eunice Swicord, Miss Yvonne Goolsby, R. J. Schroder, G. C. McLarty, Louis Goolsby and Thomas Assen. The bridge players meet once a week.

C. P. H. S. NEWS

Editor—Sadie Cochran.
Assistant Editor—Edward Moody.
Current Event Editor—H. Larrimore.
Business Manager—S. E. Gamage.
Joke Editor—Witt Guise.

The Freshmen and nearly all of the Sophomores, accompanied by Mrs. Estie McClellan, enjoyed a picnic at Bacon Point Friday. A good time was reported by all.

Mrs. Thomas substituted for Mrs. McClellan Friday.

Miss Eunice Swicord has moved to the Castan Apple land.

Miss Yvonne Goolsby, teacher of the primary grades, was absent Tuesday afternoon on account of illness.

The Hallows' Carnival given last Thursday night by the Athletic Association was a success. After paying all expenses, they have \$91.08 to their credit.

Card of Thanks

We, the members of the C. P. H. S. Athletic Association, wish to thank every one that helped, to make our recent carnival a success.

LILLIAN SHIVE, Pres.

Ripples

Tennyson wrote in memorandum. Louis XVI was galled during the French revolution.

Gender shows whether man is masculine, feminine or neuter.

A grass widow is the wife of a dead vegetarian.

Oceanica is that continent which contains no land.

Henry W. Longfellow was born in Portland, Maine, where his parents were traveling in Europe. He had many friends. Among the fastest were Phoebe and Alice Cary.

Things which are equal to the same thing are equal to anything else. The plural of spouse is spice.

Jokes

Lillian Shive—Say, what's the Kaiser's favorite song now?

S. E. Gamage—That's easy. "I ain't gon'to reign no mo."

Prof. Assen—Devane, what would you do if you were president for a day?

Devane—Take the day off.

Tomlin—Is this well water?

Henry—Does it look sick?

Let's Talk It Over

He—They say that kisses are the language of love.

She—Then why don't you say something?

A RULING LAW

There is a law that rules mankind. It rules with power, we know. For in this life we reap, we find. The very things we sow.

Our actions are the seed we sow;

We sow while on our way.

They ripen as we onward go;

We reap them day by day.

A frown of hate upon our face

When friends are passing by.

Will make them turn our dwelling place

No smiles will meet our eye.

When acts of self-denial we sow

To help and bless mankind.

Then joy and peace for us will grow.

A happy life we find.

When with a smile of love I greet,

The one I chance to see.

A loving smile my eye will meet.

For love returns to me.

—FRANK FRIEND.

Sunflowers Kill Fever

Sunflowers are grown extensively in some countries on lowlands which are subject to considerable degree of marsh fever. Where the sunflower is thus cultivated marsh fever is said to be practically unknown.

Physical Defect

Scientists now know that both dullness and callousness, imbecility and brutality, idiosyncrasy and bestiality are products of a definite physical, mechanical defect of the actual physical cells of the human brain.—French Strothers.

English as She Is Spoke

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"Let us, then, be up and doing,
With a heart for any fate;
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Learn to labor and to wait."

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Four boat lines on lake and canal.
Four general merchandise stores.

CANAL POINT

S. R. and Joseph Selick made a business visit to the county at the first of the week.
Mrs. J. H. Snyder returned Saturday from a three-months stay at Asbury Park, N. J.
Dr. Geiger, the dentist, has gone to the coast to remain there until the high water goes down.
Jack Barrett took the deputy sheriffs around the lake Monday when they came out with election supplies.
J. W. Putnam of Bare Beach passed through Canal Point Tuesday on his way home from West Palm Beach and Miami.

W. H. Vann and family have moved to West Palm Beach and have stored their furniture in J. E. Poland's new garage. He will work real estate from that end and this.

O. M. Baker of Moore Haven stopped in Canal Point Tuesday evening with his son, Charles R. Baker of the garage, and went on to West Palm Beach the next morning.

The Bernice stopped here Saturday and left a lot of wood for the sugar mill and then went on to Torry Island with window and door frames and other building material for Ross Winne's house.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Brisco visited West Palm Beach this week. Opening of a fish market in the Brisco restaurant building is being held up while a man is negotiating for the purchase of the place to continue the restaurant.

Captain Clay Johnson brought in the Osceola the latter part of last week, towing a barge that the Cleveland Supply Company had repaired for the sugar company. The Osceola had taken a supply of oil from Moore Haven to Indian Prairie canal for Otis Hardin, the contractor.

J. H. Merrill of Sanford, representing a firm in that place, came to East Beach last week to sell spraying outfits and materials. As he was an acquaintance of J. C. Staples of Pahokee he called on him. There being no market for spraying outfits here now, Mr. Merrill left for Sanford. He was accompanied by Mr. Staples, who will return to his farm there and make a winter crop and then come back to Pahokee.

Arthur FitzHugh was an incoming passenger on the Eagle Monday afternoon, coming out from West Palm Beach. This was his first visit to Canal Point in two weeks, since the closing of the road. He wants to put his bus back on the run between West Palm Beach and Okeechobee as soon as he can and that depends on when Commers Highway will be open. He may bring the bus to the run between Canal Point and Okeechobee until the eastern end of the road is reopened.

Peter J. Klaphak of Washington, D. C., assistant pathologist of the office of sugar plant investigation, United States Department of Agriculture, has arrived in Canal Point to spend the winter and act with C. P. Sheffield in

WANT ADS

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the conduct of the cane testing station. He came to Canal Point the latter part of last week, and then went to West Palm Beach and met his wife, who came out with him Monday. Temporarily they are stopping at the Custard Apple Inn.

When the boat Indian River went out Sunday afternoon it carried J. H. Holcomb's automobile. Mr. Holcomb had finished his work with Engineer Lawrence at Okeechobee and gone to Moore Haven last week. He expected to bid on a surveying job in Highlands county.

C. P. Sheffield left on the Eagle Wednesday morning for Hialeah, to spend a brief vacation with his family.

COMMUNITY M. E. CHURCH

Due to the water around the church for the past three weeks, we have been holding services at the Custard Apple Inn but we will get back to the church for worship Sunday. A board walk is laid from the ridge at the garage to church.

Sunday school 10 a. m. We have new pupils every Sunday, in spite of high water. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Nease of the Methodist church at Pahokee will preach for us at 3 o'clock in the afternoon Sunday. Come out and hear the lovable man of God. Mrs. Thomas will organize a local Chapter of the Epworth League at the church Friday evening, 7:30. All the young people sixteen years old or over are especially invited. Watch the posters.

Bible study Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. WM. JESSE THOMAS, Pastor.

COOLIDGE SEEMS POPULAR CHOICE FOR PRESIDENT

Continued from first page

Cathon—Dem, 24; Oberlin, Rep., 1. Commissioner of Agriculture—Mayo, Dem, 15; Skipper, Rep., 12. State Senator—John W. Watson, Dem, 23. (Republicans had no candidate.) Sheriff—Baker, Dem, 20; Campbell, Rep., 12. Clerk of the Circuit Court—Fennio, Dem, 30; Neil, 1.

Assessor—Owens, Dem, 24. Tax Collector—O'Bannon, 32. County Judge, Robbins, Dem, 30. Representative—McCracken, Dem, 30; Rowley, Rep., 1. County Attorney—Roebuck, Dem, 28. County Commissioner, first district, H. N. Gaines, 22. Commissioner, second district, Albertson, 22; Dempsey, 1. Commissioner, third district, J. E. Bell, 19; Greer, 2.

Commissioner, fourth district, Raulstra, 20; Grieve, 2. Commissioner, fifth district, Bell, 22; Greer, 7.

Because water stood on the ground under the shed at Carter's store, which is usually the polling place, the polls were located for this election in the first story of G. A. Watkins' building, under the East Beach Land Company's office. All of the persons who were named as officers of election showed up at 8 o'clock except one. J. O. Mansfield was appointed by the other inspectors to serve in his place. This made the board composed of G. A. Watkins, H. C. Kolstad and J. O. Mansfield, with Wm. P. Jernigan, jr., as clerk.

Vibration Through Rock

Some interesting experiments recently have been made by oil companies in Texas in regard to the speed with which vibrations move through different types of rock. It has been found that a movement similar to those produced by earthquakes travels at the rate of 14,000 feet a second in limestone and in only one-half that rate, or 7,000 feet a second, in shale—Kansas City Star.

Power From Volcanoes

In Italy and some of the volcanic islands of the Pacific the steam power issuing from volcanoes has been harnessed for engineering purposes. The people of the Tuscan town of Lardello light their streets, heat their homes and do their cooking by means of volcanic steam pressure, which generates enough heat to cook a joint in less than half an hour.

Why England Is Merrie

A city gentleman writing to the press claims that he managed to put through a call to the north of Scotland in less than a minute. When all the wrong numbers are engaged, accidents like this are sure to happen—London Passing Show.

Admission of Value

Admission must descend, as the dew upon the tender herb, or like melting flakes of snow; the softer it falls, the longer it dwells upon and the deeper it sinks into the mind.—Seed.

Wisdom and Reason

Wisdom one day said to Reason: It were well to love one's enemies and return good for evil. Reason, that day, tip-toe on the loftiest peak in its kingdom, at last, was fain to agree. Wisdom is not yet content and seeks ever further alone.—Maeterlinck.

WOMEN'S CLUB

The Women's Civic Improvement Club met Monday afternoon at the Custard Apple Inn. This was the second meeting of the club and much interest was shown. There was a number of new members admitted.

The unfinished business was taken up. Plans were further discussed for the removal of trash and garbage. A committee was appointed to see the citizens and decide upon a general clean up day. We hope that every person living on the highway will join in this work. No one respects a dirty filthy place. If we expect decent people to live here we must prepare for it.

After the question of sanitation was disposed of beautification was taken up. The club members decided to plant trees or shrubs along the highway between the toll gates.

Quite a helpful talk was given on club work by the president, urging the members to strive for co-operation, loyalty and team work.

Mrs. O. P. Griffin and Miss Fred Geiger will arrange for the next meeting, which will be two weeks from this meeting.

After the business was disposed of an enjoyable social hour was spent. Delicious cake and cocoa were served by Mesdames Carter and Griffin. As the afternoon waned into twilight the members reluctantly took their leave, each praising the ladies for the pleasant entertainment they provided.

Mrs. JACK BARRETT, Press Reporter.

COMMUNITY UPBUILDING

In every city, town and hamlet we may find strong competition in business, differences in politics and religion, social rivalries and personal antagonisms—and these will probably always exist to a greater or less extent. But there is one common ground on which all should be willing to meet, laying aside personal grievances and prejudices, and in which the common welfare of "our town" is concerned.

In other words, no matter how much we may disagree and fight among our-

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seels, we should stand up for our town against all opposition. This sort of teamwork is what makes a town worth while, insures its progress and a better understanding among its people.

By joining with an enemy or rival in some movement for the betterment of the community, we often find "an to be a pretty good sort of fellow, after all."

Development of a strong community spirit is essential to community advancement and no personal feelings should be permitted to stand in its way. Loyalty and teamwork are the things that count.

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LOCKTENDERS' WEEKLY REPORT OF LAKE AND CANAL LEVELS

		LAKE GROUP				COASTAL GROUP				CALOOSA GROUP			
		Gloosahatchee No. 1	North New River No. 1	Hillsboro No. 1	Palm Beach No. 1	St. Lucie No. 1	St. Lucie No. 2	Palm Beach No. 2	Hillsboro No. 2	North New River No. 2	South New River No. 1	Gloosahatchee No. 2	Gloosahatchee No. 3
Sunday, Oct. 19	Upper Pool	18.6	17.8	17.4	17.1	16.8	16.1	13.1	6.4	11.0	7.1	5.9	4.4
	Lower Pool	16.2	17.6	17.4	17.1	16.8	16.1	6.7	2.5	11.0	7.1	5.9	4.4
Monday, Oct. 20	Upper Pool	19.8	17.9	17.5	17.4	16.9	16.3	13.1	9.4	12.5	7.6	6.0	4.4
	Lower Pool	16.4	17.9	17.5	17.4	16.9	16.3	9.8	3.5	13.0	7.6	6.0	4.4
Tuesday, Oct. 21	Upper Pool	19.0	18.4	18.5	17.8	17.5	17.3	15.5	11.9	12.5	7.6	6.7	4.5
	Lower Pool	17.4	18.4	18.0	17.8	17.5	17.3	13.0	4.0	12.5	7.6	6.7	4.5
Wednesday, Oct. 22	Upper Pool	18.5	18.6	18.6	18.1	18.1	17.8	8.7	12.4	12.5	7.6	6.9	4.6
	Lower Pool	18.5	18.6	18.1	18.1	18.1	17.8	7.8	4.0	12.5	7.6	6.9	4.6
Thursday, Oct. 23	Upper Pool	18.7	18.6	18.6	18.4	18.2	17.9	6.5	13.0	12.2	7.6	7.0	4.6
	Lower Pool	18.7	18.6	18.2	18.4	18.2	17.9	6.0	4.0	12.2	7.6	7.0	4.6
Friday, Oct. 24	Upper Pool	18.9	18.6	18.7	18.6	18.3	18.1	5.3	13.0	11.8	8.1	7.0	4.6
	Lower Pool	18.9	18.6	18.2	18.2	18.3	18.1	5.3	3.6	11.8	8.1	7.0	4.6
Saturday, Oct. 25	Upper Pool	19.0	18.5	18.6	18.4	18.5	18.3	4.9	12.0	11.5	8.0	6.9	4.6
	Lower Pool	19.0	18.5	18.2	18.2	18.5	18.3	4.7	5.8	11.5	8.0	6.9	4.6

SOUTH FLORIDA

When bids for DeSoto county road work were opened last week it was found that the lowest bid was \$57,000 less than the same contractor had bid a month before. The next lowest bid was \$52,000 less than his bid at the former opening. Nevertheless the commissioners held that all of the bids were too high and therefore rejected them and will re-advertise.

The banana growers convention at Winter Haven last week was largely attended.

The first car of citrus shipped from Arcadia went out last week. It was grapefruit from the Punta Gorda sub-exchange. The first oranges going out are Parson Brown.

Movement of citrus fruit will not get under way in St. Lucie county for several weeks yet. The season was late anyway and the recent rainfall will serve to further retard shipments. The crop is estimated as about the same as last year, which was around 1,700 carloads.

Gandy bridge will be finished by the middle of the month, County Engineer Burleson of Pinellas county estimates. After two years of effort two rural routes have been secured patrons of the Avon Park post office who live in the country. The two routes practically circle the ridge metropolis.

C. E. Matthews, lately of Suwannee county, has been selected by the agricultural extension department for the position of county agent of Broward county.

Caviar in Hamburg

The world's largest storehouse of caviar—supplying the New York, London and Paris markets—is in Hamburg. Outside of Russia, caviar is one of the most expensive luxuries of European tables. But in Petrograd or Moscow it is a common dish of the workman.

Paste Diamonds

What is known as a paste diamond is not like the paste pearl made of paste, but merely a piece of glass, mirrored and covered on the back of the stone with gold foil to make it opaque.

Patriotism Defined

A patriot, is one who avoids the wrong arguments and buys the right stocks in time of war.—Duluth Herald.

OPPORTUNITIES
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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

W. D.—F. M. Watkins and wife to Florida East Coast Ry. Co., \$2,500, a strip 100' in width in se corner of sec. 10-41-37 and other 100' right of way through sections 10-41-37, sec. 23-41-37 and a strip for right of way 100' wide and 25' long across lots 9, 10, 11, 12 and 25' of lot 13 of block 65, Long Beach Colony.

W. D.—Fitzhugh Lee and Thelma Lee to Augustus Cromartie, \$4,500, commencing 600' n of sw corner of lot 6, sec. 26 for point of beginning, thence n 100' to w corner of school house, e to shore of Lake Okeechobee s 1020', w to point of beginning.

W. D.—Fahoke Realty Co., to Homer Vivian, various tracts and lots in Ridgeway Beach in sec. 18-42-37.

W. D.—The Howard Co., to Homer Vivian, fractional sec. 18-42-37, except parts already sold.

W. D.—Sarah M. Rhodes, widow, to Benjamin Frost, sec. 14-46-42.

W. D.—Fahoke Realty Co., to C. O. Miller, lots 73 and 74, Ridgeway Beach.

W. D.—John R. Rice to Florida Sugar & Food Products Co., \$2,500, e 1-2 sec 4 nwl-4 nwl-4, being the s 1-2 of lot 3, sec. 19, also s 1-2 nwl-4 nwl-4 sec. 20-46-43.

W. D.—Myrtle B. Roberts and husband to Sarah A. Barfield, lot 5 and tracts 44 and 35 Ridgeway Beach.

W. D.—Samuel Barfield and wife to Myrtle B. Roberts, lot 5 and tracts 34 and 35 Ridgeway Beach.

Tax D.—Trustees I. I. Fund to Kraemer Sugar & Syrup Co. government lots 3 and 4 sec. 15-43-36.

W. D.—Grant Realty Co., to G. M. Chichester, lots 1 to 4 block L South Bay.

Tax D.—Trustees I. I. Fund to Adolph Hoffman, \$35.12 sec. 1-4 nwl-4 of sec. 21-45-35.

W. D.—Ruberta C. Badger and husband to M. C. Eggleston and wife, \$58, All that land lying s of Hillsboro canal in w-1-2 c1-2 w1-2 w1-2 sec. 32-43-37.

W. D.—Homer Vivian and wife to William Winters, widower, n1-2 of tract 36, n1-2 of tract 37, sec. 18-42-37, Lot 49 Ridgeway Beach, sec. 18-42-37, \$15,000.

W. D.—A. L. Davenny and Alta B. Davenny to R. R. Brakeman, n1-4 of lot 1 nwl-4 of sec. 9, 10 acres, twp. 36, r. 14, s. 35.

SEBRING'S PUMPS
HOLD WATER DOWN

Dike Protects Big Avocado Development Near The Miami Canal

"We have the water below the top of the ground on the old trees and 25 acres of bearing fine fruit but I am not sure whether the water standing high in the ground will effect the old trees or not. I want to be sure before I make any claims. However, I still believe in this part of the country for this fruit."

H. O. Sebring, president of the South Shore Farms Company, so writes, to The Everglades News from Sebring under date of November 1 (which was Saturday of last week). The South Shore Farms Company is owner and developer of a tract of land at Miami canal on the south shore of Lake Okeechobee. The land is planted to *avocados and vegetables.

Continuing Mr. Sebring says: "I know that you want all of the fruit that you can get, therefore I am giving you my observations last week: 'I found the water at Moore Haven running into the lake and back of Rita a foot higher than the lake, and running east in the new canal that the Palm Beach drainage and highway district dug this summer, back of Belling hotel and dumped into the lake at the Miami canal."

"At South Bay the state lock was holding up a head of six inches; in other words the canal was lower than the lake. At the Hillsboro lock the water was on a level I understand from persons 'I talked to who were there while further east at the 20-mile bend in West Palm Beach canal water was flowing in three directions. This would show that at that time the water from the Moore Haven section was not getting any further east than the Belling canal. I hope you publish this week the condition of the St. Lucie canal, as it is a very important feature in connection with the lake."

PHONE LINES TO
BARRON COLLIER

Takes Over Arcadia and Fort Myers Exchanges; May Get Okeechobee

Two more local telephone systems in South Florida have been merged with Barron Collier's Inter-County Telephone & Telegraph Company. The Collier company, starting with a local exchange in Collier county, a few months ago took over the Magill Telephone Company, which owned the exchanges at LaBelle and Moore Haven and a line connecting the two towns and extending to Clewiston. It has now gotten control of the majority of the stock of the Lee County Telephone Company from Gilmer M. Heitman of Fort Myers and a majority of the stock of the Scott Telephone Company of Arcadia. The Scott company has exchanges at Arcadia, Wauchula, Bowling Green, Fort Meade, Punta Gorda, Fort Ogden and Avon Park and was owned by J. L. Kirk of Arcadia.

The Fort Myers News says that Mr. Heitman is to be made chairman of the board of directors of the Inter-County Telephone Company, and the Arcadia local paper says that Mr. Kirk will be the managing director. G. G. S. Rolason, a consulting engineer from New York, took part in the negotiations, and a local paper says that Mr. Kirk will be the managing director. G. G. S. Rolason, a consulting engineer from New York, took part in the negotiations, and a local paper says that Mr. Kirk will be the managing director.

Newspaper stories of the telephone company mergers refer to "the DuPont interests" as being parties to the transaction.

The Okeechobee News says Mr. Collier has an option on the Okeechobee telephone exchange and lines. The option runs to November 18.

WEST PALM BEACH

WEST PALM BEACH, Nov. 4.—The First Methodist church, South, has let a contract to the Vilet Building Service, Inc., for the erection of a church building, 80x100 feet at Spruce street and Dixie highway in Northwood. To the central building will be added two offsets which will make the extreme size 36x51. It will provide a seating capacity of 125. This is a branch of the down town church. The officers of the First Christian church will give a contract soon for a building to be located in Grand View Heights. E. Benson, alias Frank Taylor Holt, has been discovered to be the person who entered churches in this city and stole electric fans and most anything he found that was loose. Rev. E. B. Jenkins, pastor of the Baptist church, brought about Benson's arrest. Benson, brought about Benson's arrest. Benson, brought about Benson's arrest. Benson, brought about Benson's arrest.

The cruiser W. J. Conners III, said to be the speediest boat of the type, arrived last week from the north and tied up at the dock of the Hotel Royal Poinciana. The cruiser will take part in races on the lower east coast this winter.

Burning for Centuries

The most ancient of the sacred fires of India still existing was consecrated 12 centuries ago, in commemoration of the voyage made by the Parsees when they emigrated from Persia to India. The fire is fed five times every 24 hours with sandalwood and other fragrant materials, combined with very dry fuel.

More Than Men

Knecker—"How the dickens did you get even with that noisy family, living next door to you?" Back—"Hired a Scotch cook and she brought her bagpipes with her."

Different Grapefruit

Grapefruit raised in the Cape of Good Hope country, South Africa, is much smaller than that of the United States, is less juicy and has the flavor of a slightly bitter lemon.

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Royal King	2.00
Pimiento	2.10
Cabbage Seed, Danish Growth	\$1.50
Copenhagen Market	1.00
Early Wonder Wakefield	1.00
Charleston Wakefield	1.00
Early Flat Dutch	1.00
All Seasons	1.00
Succession	1.00
Lettuce Seed	
Big Boston	\$1.75
Iceberg	1.85
Prizehead	1.50
Curled Silesia	1.50
Bermuda Onion Seeds Tenerife Growth	\$4.50
White Yellow	3.25
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Postponed Manners

Little Muriel had been told that it was not polite to take the last biscuit on the plate, but the other morning at breakfast she said, as she reached for it: "Oh, mamma, I'm almost starved! I don't want to be polite today; I'll wait till some day I'm not hungry."—Baltimore Sun.

DISTINCTION

Distinction is achieved not by being merely different, but by being better, finer. The traveler may look forward with pleasure to his stay at the

HOTEL PERSHING
MIAMI, FLA.

Farm Talk

Howard Sharp

People whose income has been shut off or reduced but who have to have milk just the same are looking a little enviously at the cows some of their neighbors possess, for the owner of a cow does not have to pay out ready money for a food that his children need more than any other kind of food and more than that the milkman is suffering no reduction in his revenue. A thing is taking place on a small scale that will a few years there will be so much land planted to vegetables that there will be no trucking; there will be lean years, and farmers will begin to think about having some other source of income and they will think more about dairy cows. The same sort of influence is responsible for the boom in bananas. In some parts of the state the growing of citrus is the only source of income; when citrus prices went to pieces last year a lot of people got hard up and they started looking about for some additional crop and they hit on bananas after meeting with blueberries and things like that. It happens all over the United States about once so often Georgians raise cotton until prices go down and then they begin to think about diversification. Kansas raises wheat until wheat prices slump and then they try something else. They all know that the one-crop or one-industry system is wrong but they hold to it because it is the easiest way—for a while.

Farm papers tell the story over and over again of mortgages lifted when milk cows were bought and a dairy established or of farms that were made to pay because the wife looked after a flock of chickens. Everybody knows that there are not more cows and chickens—cows and chickens have to be looked after every day, and people don't want to be bothered. Then comes a time when they have to stay on the farm and work instead of taking a nice long vacation. By staying on the farm and looking after the cows and chickens, which is work, they make money even if they lose the vacation. Of course, our trouble just now is that the water covers so much land that it is hard to get feed for cows and chickens. But the lesson that this flood gives, like the other lessons the floods taught, ought to be remembered. I have a letter from Alf R. Nielsen of West Palm Beach in reply to a request for an article of "Dairying in the Everglades" which if not printed in this is-

BETTER DRAINAGE IF DAIRY SUCCESS

Alf R. Nielsen Has Hopes For Industry But Warns Of Conditions

"Your letter of September 29 came while I was away buying cattle, and since coming back you may appreciate what I have been up against with these rains and a bunch of cattle on my hands. I imagine that things are pretty blue in the Everglades and I must say that they have every reason to be 'off color.' If only water conditions will allow some extensive farming in the spring, things might come out rather well yet this year.

"In regard to dairying in the Everglades, . . . In my opinion we are rather the dark as to what we might expect from any real extensive dairy operations in the Glades. My observation has been rather discouraging. It is true that it is possible to make great amount of forage, such as it is, but I am sure that very extensive cultivation of legumes will have to be done together with some mineral mixture to be able to handle the cattle so that they will get proper rations and thereby partially eliminate the common occurrence of sterility or non-breeding so prevalent in Glades cattle.

"Another feature will have to be guarded against, and that is what is being experienced in the Glades at this time, viz., water. Provision will have to be made for barn room enough to keep cattle out of the water and be stall-fed during these floods and high water conditions that show up so frequently. As you already are aware, we often have conditions that are really not flood conditions but make the soil so soft that cattle bog very badly. In my opinion feed sheds or barns will have to be provided for cattle to care for them when such conditions prevail.

"Personally I have great hopes for the Glades as a milk-producing region but I do not hesitate in stating that proper equipment as to farming operations and barns or sheds are absolutely necessary to even begin to make anything with a dairy venture in these Everglades. So far as markets are concerned, while the industry is finding its feet, the cream market will offer the better market and too it will start the industry in right with regard to the proper production of milk and when production warrants it, a real butter manufacturing plant will be provided by us.

"This is only hitting the high spots. I could really write a book on how I feel the industry should be started and what should be done for the industry in various stages of its growth. I might do this some time if I could get away from here and have nothing else to do."

People will be given in a later issue. All persons who have interests of any kind in the Glades should read it. Chickens are the best bet as an auxiliary to trucking and sugar cane. On poultry farms in the north, rye is sprouted in boxes under artificial heat; at the Ferris poultry farm in Military Trail rye is grown in boxes under natural conditions. Rye can be grown outdoors here in short order, at any time of year. Bugs and kitchen scrap will afford another part of the feed. Small shells are found everywhere and they supply the needed lime. Egyptian wheat grows quickly and yields prodigiously. I hear less here of diseases among chickens than anywhere I have ever been.

The College of Agriculture of the University of Florida maintains an agricultural news service which issues each week a page of articles on agriculture and farm economics. The agricultural news service is conducted by Ralph Stoutamire, who handles it well. I read the sheet every week and sometimes some of the articles for this department. As the far greater part of Florida possesses a soil different from the rest of the United States, region, naturally the articles in the news service from the college of agriculture deal primarily with soils and conditions in other parts of the state. And in reading the sheet I find less articles for our use than do editors of papers in the sand land regions.

This illustrates how wise was the action of the legislature in establishing the Everglades Experiment Station, which is located a mile or so below Belle Glade. The station there is certain to prove of great value. The amount of water that has been increased by the flood, for the high water got over its land when it had some crops in. Most of the plantings are made of grasses, but there will be a chance to see how much acid or alkali, if any, the water brings in or up and what happens to the soil bacteria. Dr. Wilmon Newell, the director of the experiment stations, will not let his aides take snap judgment on any of their experiments. Had the flood not come on, some highly erroneous conclusions might have been reached from what had been observed so far; all of us have kidded ourselves in some matters. But we hope that Dr. Newell will shortly give us a preliminary and tentative statement of observations at the Everglades station.

Bordeaux Mixture Keeps Pepper Leaf Spot Down

Growers of peppers are reporting the appearance of the disease known as leaf-spot to the Florida Experiment Station, at the same time inquiring for means of controlling it in time to prevent serious losses.

Spraying the plants with 4-4-50 bordeaux mixture seems to be the most effective means of controlling this disease, according to the replies sent to the growers. In order to be absolutely sure to control it, spraying should commence even before the young plants are removed from the seedbeds and continued regularly after they are planted to the fields.

The disease, according to G. F. Weber, associate plant pathologist, first appears as small brown spots having dark margins and white centers. The leaf surrounding the spots may be yellowed. The spots grow rapidly. The leaves will not fall. The disease is caused by fungus and its spores are easily scattered by means of wind and rain, thus making quick and effective preventive measures imperative.

STATE OFFICIAL TELLS OF AVOCADO DEVELOPMENT

Land on the shore of Lake Okeechobee is splendid location for avocado groves in the opinion of Hon. J. C. Luning of Tallahassee, state treasurer of the state of Florida, who with associates owns 200 acres in section 9, township 44, range 36, which is located on the lake two miles west of the South Bay lock and three miles east of Miami lock. This is in the locality in which are the nurseries and groves of the South Shore Farms Company and the E. C. Thomas Company.

A few weeks ago The Everglades News wrote to Mr. Luning and asked for information about his development and for permission to put it in print. Writing from Tallahassee under date of October 1 Mr. Luning said in the course of his reply:

"The fact is that I made up my mind that I would like to develop an avocado grove. Having reached this conclusion, I consulted 36, which is on the shore of Lake Okeechobee, which is largely exempt from danger of frost and also very fertile, a splendid location for the development of an avocado grove. Consequently I invested in land in section 9, township 44, range 36, fronting on Lake Okeechobee; and my associates and I contemplate eventually putting out as much as 200 acres of avocados. We have already put out 51 acres and rapidly as we can clear the land and get it in condition we contemplate putting out the remaining 149 acres."

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GLADES WEATHER

Canal Point			
Date	High	Low	Rain
27	80	66	0.00
28	77	62	0.00
29	77	62	0.00
30	76	65	0.00
31	76	64	0.00
1	76	64	0.00
2	76	64	0.00
Average	77	64	0.27
Total rain since	January 1, 1924		59.74

Sunshine, 60 hours, 10 minutes.
Gauge above the locks, 19.00 feet; gauge below the locks, 19.12 feet. Gauge read at 6 a. m. Nov. 2, 1924.

C. P. SHEFFIELD.

Everglades Experiment Station

Belle Glade			
Date	Temperature	Rain	Evapo-
	Max.	Min.	fall
26	85	72	0.00
27	80	67	0.00
28	74	65	0.00
29	80	64	0.02
30	78	64	0.00
31	78	64	0.00
1	78	66	0.00

GEO. E. TEDDER, Recorder.

Moore Haven

Record of meteorological observations taken by the undersigned as a cooperative observer of the Weather Bureau of the U. S. Department of Agriculture during the week ending November 1, 1924.

Date	High	Low	Rain
27	83	70	0.00
28	78	64	0.00
29	75	61	0.00
30	78	66	0.00
31	78	68	0.00
1	77	67	0.03

A. L. MOWAT,

Cooperative Observer.

Okeechobee

Record of meteorological observations taken by the undersigned as a cooperative observer of the Weather Bureau of the U. S. Department of Agriculture during the week ending November 2, 1924.

Date	High	Low	Rain
27	80	64	0.00
28	78	58	0.00
29	80	59	0.00
30	82	60	0.00
31	81	59	0.00
1	84	63	0.00
2	80	62	0.03

H. P. PETERSON,

Cooperative Observer.

CORRESPONDENCE

Stuart, Fla., Nov. 2, 1924.

My dear Mr. Sharp: I received this morning my copy of The Everglades News and I hasten to send you my sincere congratulations and admiration for the display of your courage and "guts" in the most trying circumstances that you are facing actually.

While the condition for farming in the very near future is problematic, our condition during the east coast is not very bright. Every one of us must keep up and put in our brain that we are in the game to stay.

The farmers all around the lake live with the idea that they can raise two or three crops on the same piece of land. When they figure out that one crop is sufficient—then they are on the so-called high land—perhaps they will cheer up better.

Under the title "How to Reduce Flood Menace" you publish an article suggesting a remedy.

There are a dozen but the most simple, ordinary common sense remedy (which will cost nothing) was to lower the water of the lake as far as possible in the month of September, or previous to the heavy rain season coming all ways in October. That measure will do no harm to anybody and will be only temporary any how. With best regards I remain yours sincerely,

CHARLES COURLY.

Eustis, Fla., Oct. 29, 1924.

Dear Mr. Sharp: Just a word to say to you how very much I appreciate your concise and well stated article "State Board's Indifference Cause Of Slow Progress Of Drainage Work." I do not know if the apathy extant in Florida is typical of the entire country or not but I do know that what amounts to gross negligence on the part of those in authority is so often the case in our state that it looms as a menace. Unless more people display the temperance you have in airing such cases I can't see for the life of me how we are to progress.

That Everglades condition is a shame. It should not be permitted to exist and yet those in whom we have placed confidence and trust have been so busy making such replies as you have quoted I have met them before and they sound unutterably familiar. I could see in their faces from writing you that this man I admire a man who has the ability and does come out fearlessly for the right and call those scoundrels just the kind of scoundrels they are. Wishing you all success, I am very truly yours,

J. E. MATTOCKS.

Accounting for Kinder

Justice may wear a broad-gauge eye to save herself from discouragement at the sight of the work she ought to do.—Buffalo Enquirer.

Election News

WEST PALM BEACH, Nov. 6.—Interesting developments in the close county race—that for county commissioner—were shown in yesterday's return from Lake Worth precincts Nos. 21 and 22. The vote there brought Frank Crego, republican candidate for commissioner from the fourth district, exactly one vote ahead of B. E. Rader, republican, by a vote of 717 to 716. Crego, 493; Rader, 492.

Walter Greer was leading C. W. Bell, 516 to 451 in the race for commissioner from the fifth district, while Thomas Dempsey, independent candidate from the Jupiter district, had 679 votes, to the 436 for R. C. Albertson. J. E. Bell, democrat, was leading E. E. Green, republican, by a vote of 717 to 321 in the third district.

Lake Worth went republican on the presidential, sheriff and county commission votes. Precinct 21 there gave Coolidge 96 ballots to 94 for Davis, while precinct 22 gave Coolidge 163 votes to 61 for Davis.

The two districts also gave Campbell for sheriff a vote of 370 to 262 for Baker. All amendments were carried, in every precinct heard from except Palm City (No. 2).

Misunderstanding on the part of the majority of electoral officials has prevented more complete results being ascertained until after the official canvass of the county was held last Friday, it was said at the court house yesterday.

Most of the election officials either placed their precinct returns in the ballot boxes or sealed them up, making out no report to the county clerk, so that even county officials are unaware of the outcome of more than half the county vote, although most of the ballot boxes have been brought in.

With the exceptions of precincts 21 and 4 nothing had been heard from the Everglades and, on those brought in the returns had likewise been sealed.

It was said at the county house yesterday that the official ballots did not reach those of the county commission, discussing the matter last night, said that any move the republicans might make would not come until the official canvass of the county vote.

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FLOOD AT PEAK; CANALS LOWER LAKE STEADIES

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The Glades Hotel and Custard Apple Inn in Canal Point Monday and went out Tuesday morning for St. Lucie canal on the steamboat Cicada, which had brought them in from West Palm Beach. Captain Strickland, captain of the Caloosahatchee, had assembled the crew at Miami, where he was overhauling another Army Corps of Engineers dredge. The Caloosahatchee will be put to work digging a channel through the sand that was washed into the St. Lucie canal after the storm of October 20. It is reported to The Everglades News that one million cubic yards of sand is now being removed from the St. Lucie; as the dredge Caloosahatchee is of capacity to handle 2000 cubic feet a day this implies that the dredge, if unassisted, would require a year and a half to move the million yards.

The dredges Clark and Culbra have been taking out rock but it is hoped that they will give a hand in moving the sand.

State dredge No. 2, which had been laid up at the lower end of West Palm Beach canal for several weeks, was towed up the canal Monday afternoon and taken up lateral B, which is eight miles south of Canal Point. The dredge will strengthen the dike on that canal and also the dike that starts at the north end of the lateral and continues out to a point on the lake two and a half miles north of Canal Point. There were no breaks in this dike but water got over its top and under it.

"I believe we can start replanting by the first of December," Dr. W. L. Lair of Pahokee said Tuesday morning after looking at the guage and noting the slowing current in the canal. When water was in section 5 there were several acres of crops that had not been hurt and were not likely to be. I intend to go down there this week and make a seedbed I had heeled in some plants that I took up but they got water-soaked." Three different guages back of the dike showed Tuesday morning that the water had not raised in the preceding 24 hours.

C. P. Sheffield, editor of The Everglades News, poked a skiff through the United States Department of Agriculture sugar cane testing station plot of ground at Canal Point Sunday morning. The water there was higher than it had ever been and the boat was floated over down to a point on the lake where a space to spare. Appayas were gathered from trees as the men stood in the boat. A current that had been running south across the station ground had ceased at that time and the water was everywhere stagnant and some of the cane was turning yellow. The effect of the water, but most of the cane was thrifty. The roots of the cane stood under water for three months during the high water of two years ago and recovered; with that precedent Mr. Sheffield believes that practically all of the cane will pull through this year.

The Windham boys and other boys in that part of town had improvised boats and criss-crossed the lake material. Two boats had been made by turning up the edges of pieces of sheet metal, such as is used for house roofs, and one end and curving the other end to a prow form. Except where nails had been driven into the sheet metal, the boats were seaworthy and were paddled all around the cane field.

Look For Northwest

For nearly a month the prevailing direction of the wind has been from the east. Old-timers say that a "norther" or a "northwester" is due, or even past due, and that a good deal of what the future holds for the upper Everglades depends on that. Golden weather usually accompanies such a wind. There was a bit of cool weather and some wind from the north a few days ago and that may have been all of the "norther" that will visit this section this season. Storms of this sort usually make a tide of two feet or more, which could do serious damage to lake dikes.

At Moore Haven

High water at Moore Haven has not, discouraged N. P. Stone, who bought the townsite a few weeks ago, according to a man who is quoted by Captain Webb of the Boat Indian River, which came in from Moore Haven Tuesday night morning. Mr. Stone took over property from Clarence E. Burns of Miami, trustee for the South Florida Farms Company stockholders. He had been making his home at St. Petersburg and had just opened a sales campaign with an office in Tampa. These things like this have happened to me before but I always overcome them," Mr. Stone is quoted as saying.

The gate of the three-mile canal at Moore Haven had been closed when Captain Webb left there and no water was running out of the lake through the spillway. A fisherman who runs a boat all around the lake told Captain Webb that the West Palm Beach canal was the only canal that was running into the lake.

Although water was going down at Moore Haven it still stood in the streets and on a level with the floor in some of the stores. The negro quarters were practically abandoned. As was inevitable, under the circumstances, many persons had left town. Fear was expressed that a reduction would have to be made in the number of hours the electric light plant

EVERGLADES DRAINAGE

From The Tampa Daily Times

It was rather a gloomy picture that The Everglades News' Canal Point, drew of the section in its territory in its issue of last week, because of high water. Among other things, the suspension of the News itself for several weeks, because of conditions, was announced as being contemplated. It would be unsatisfactory had were that to happen and we hope that now that the skies have cleared and the sun is shining benignly Editor and Manager Howard Sharp may be able to see that such a step is not necessary.

There is no doubt that conditions are very much better over there by this time than it appeared last week that they could possibly be. Conditions following storm and freshet periods are rarely ever as bad as they seem. And Florida has a marvelous way of getting back toward normal when the sun shines. We are sure that the enterprising people in the News' territory will salvage what they can and set earnestly to work replanting the crop wiped out by inundation.

One could go a long, long journey without finding better land than there is around Canal Point, but it depends upon drainage for adaptability. It does seem that we are playing at the drainage proposition. In our opinion much of the trouble is due to the system. We do not at all believe that any man, or set of men, in Tallahassee can give proper direction to the drainage of the Everglades. That job is a full man's size one, and it needs a capable man, on the ground and in constant touch with conditions, to put it through. Then it is needed that we get to be earnest on this proposition and prepare for drainage like very fields. Unquestionably much of the drainage work is lost if some way is not found of speeding up the work.

We are fully convinced that this problem will never be adequately solved until we have put a canal large enough to carry ocean-going ships across the state. According to The Everglades News the canals, as they existed last week were running water like Lake Okeechobee, rather than out of it. Draining the Everglades is one of the matters to which John W. Martin has promised his best efforts who he comes to be governor. We trust that he will always bear in mind that it is a tremendously big proposition and that if it is successfully worked out, as it can and should be, it will have to be gone about in a big way.

Sizeable the conditions about Canal Point and the frank statement about the News is just that was needed to wake us up in this regard. If so they will prove a great blessing, not only to that territory, but to all the state of Florida.

Slight Correction

"The housewife is over when she appears at breakfast with her regular face," says the Baltimore Sun. We presume our brother means her natural face.—Boston Transcript.

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Newport Home of Tennis

For many years the history of tennis in the United States was practically identical with the history of tennis at the Newport Casino. It was there the first American court was built in 1875 and when, in 1881, the United States National Lawn Tennis association was organized in New York City, Newport was unanimously chosen as the logical place for holding the all-comers' championship each year.